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Applic. No. : 09/883,817 Confirmation No.: 2567
Applicant : Jens Barrenschenn, et al.
Filed : June 18, 2001
Art Unit : 2112
Examiner : Clifford H. Knoll
Title **(Amended)** : Method Of Transmitting Data Between
Devices Connected Via A Multi-Master Bus
Defining A Time Slot During Transmission
For Responsive Output Information From
Non-Bus Master Devices

Docket No. : GR 00 P 12246
Customer No.: 24131

A M E N D M E N T UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Responsive to the final Office Action dated May 28, 2004
kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 19 of this paper.